

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

M. EZUMI, et al.

Application No.:

10/084,417

Filed:

February 28, 2002

For:

FRICTION STIR WELDING METHOD AND METHOD

FOR MANUFACTURING A CAR BODY

Art Unit:

1725

Examiner:

J. J. Johnson

## **FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

November 24, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEPENDENT	4	-	3	=	1	\$ 86	\$86.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE CLAIM						\$290	\$0.00
						TOTAL	\$86.00

\_ No fee is required.

Application No.: 10/084,417 Attorney Docket No.: 648.40349VX3

_X_	Petition for three (3) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.1
	14.400( )
	and 1.136(a). \$ <u>950.00</u> for the extension of time.

- X A credit card payment form in the amount of \$1,036.00 to cover the required fee(s) is attached hereto.
- X Charge any shortage in fees or credit any overpayment of fees to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Docket No. 648.40349VX3).

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2003, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed in the following, and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendment to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.

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